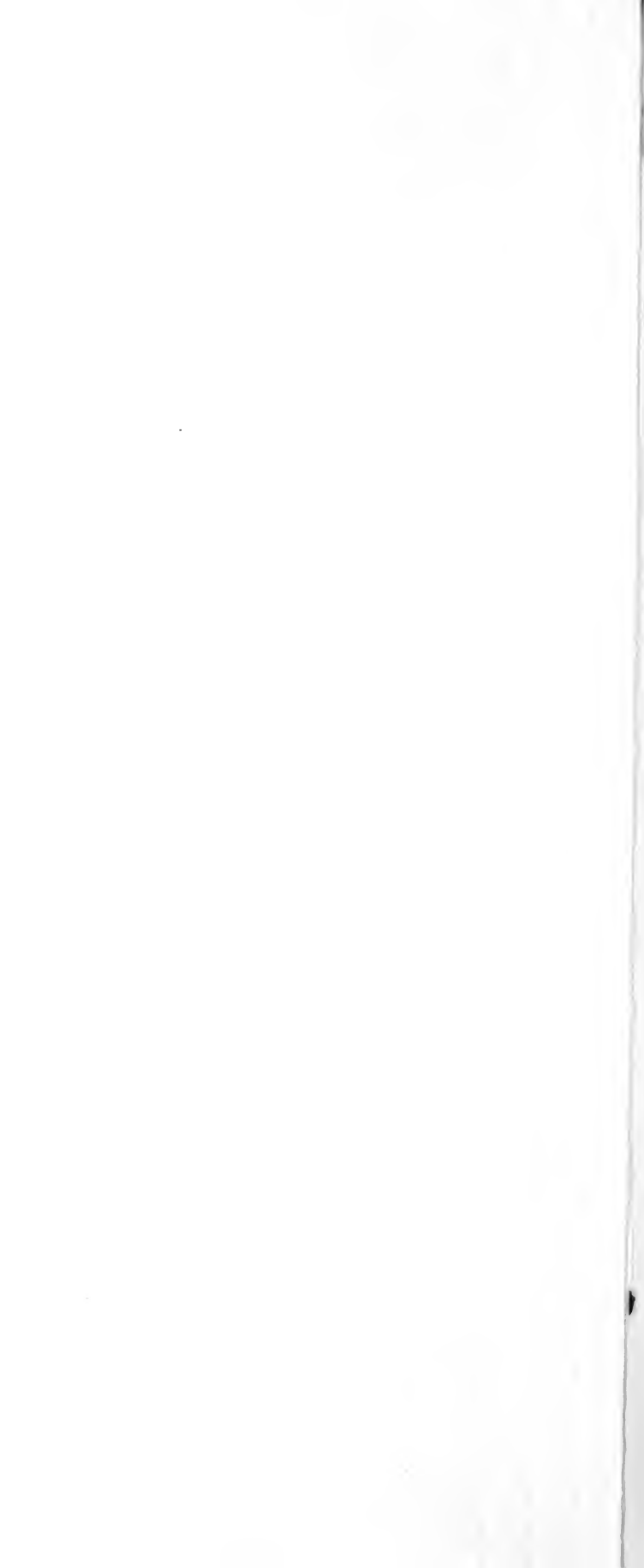
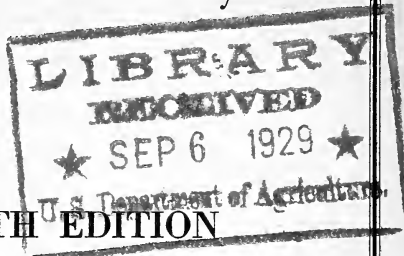


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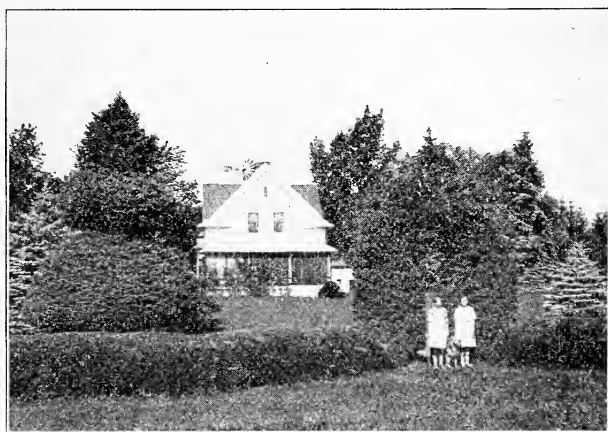


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FOURTH EDITION

The Home of Fryer's New Iris



WILLIS E. FRYER

HARDY PLANT AND GLADIOLUS
SPECIALIST

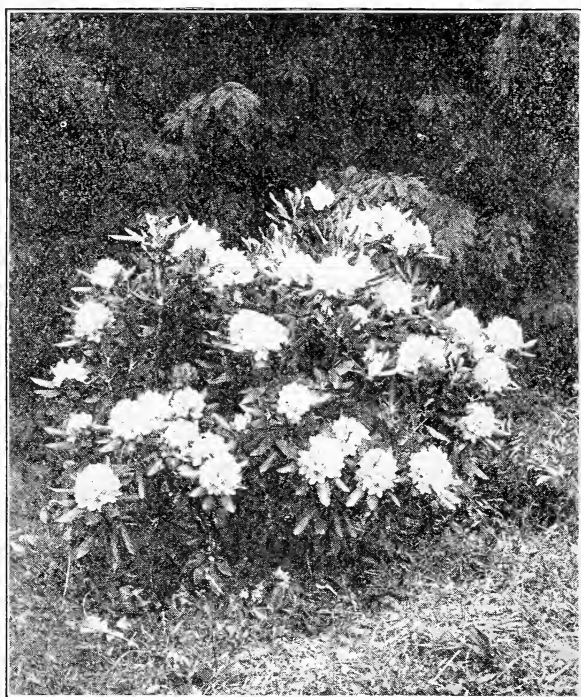
MANTORVILLE, :- MINNESOTA

INTRODUCTORY

I had tested over 600 varieties of iris before I began to raise seedlings, and shall continue to test the promising varieties of other growers as offered so that I will be better qualified to judge my seedlings.

My glory strain mostly contains some shade of red as brown, carmine and maroon-red. The plants are very robust growers, and free flowering. The falls generally stand out horizontally, and the flowers are mostly large. They will average from 20 to 30 inches in height.

I am raising thousands of seedlings each year, and I believe I have the largest amount of seedlings of any grower in the United States. I have also been told by persons who have visited every grower in Minnesota that I have more iris than all others combined.



RHODODENDRON

With special protection during the winter it has bloomed freely for ten years.

WILLIS E. FRYER

Mantorville, Minnesota, U. S. A.

Fryer's New Iris

S, signifies standard or upright petals. F, falls or drooping petals.

The height of the flower stalks is given in inches.

- A. E. KUNDERD. S. yellow-bronze, tinged with magenta; F. Magenta-red, tinged with bronze. Orange beard. Fragrant. Glory strain. 40 cents each. \$4.00 per dozen.
- A. M. BRAND. S. true golden-bronze; F. maroon-red, veined yellow. Fragrant. Glory strain. \$1.00 each.
- AUNT RACHEL. S. white, tinged with violet; F. pansy violet, edged with white. Very fragrant. 24 inches. 40 cents each, \$4.00 per dozen.
- A. W. LATHAM. S. claret-bronze; F. velvety purple. Orange beard. Honey scented. Glory strain. \$1.00 each.
- BARTON HARRINGTON. S. bright golden yellow; F. brown, tinged with red; bordered bright golden yellow. Fragrant. Glory strain. \$1.50 each.
- BESSIE. Light blue, shaded purple. Light orange beard. Fragrant. 36 inches. 40 cents each, \$4.00 per dozen.
- C. A. PFEIFFER. S. Large blue; F. pansy violet, light edge. Light orange beard. Very fragrant. Showy. 50 cents each, \$5.00 per dozen.
- CLARENCE WEDGE. S. heliotrope, tinged with yellow; F. purple-red. Orange beard. Glory strain. 40 cents each, \$4.00 per dozen.
- C. P. CONNELL. S. bright blue; S. blue, with purple tinge. Light yellow beard. 36 inches. Fine large foliage. 75 cents each. \$7.50 per dozen.
- DR. ANDRIST. S. bronze-yellow; S. velvety plush of maroon-red. Orange beard. Delightfully fragrant. Glory strain. \$1.50 each.
- DR. LOGAN. S. lavender, with pink tinge; F. a darker shade of the same. Light yellow beard. Fragrant. 26 inches. 50 cents each, \$5.00 per dozen.
- DR. LYONS. S. bronze-yellow; F. brick-red. Orange beard. Fragrant. Glory strain. 75 cents each.
- DR. MANTOR. S. light coppery crimson; F. maroon, bordered bronze-yellow; nearly the entire fall reticulated white and yellow. Orange beard. Fragrant. Glory strain. 60 cents each.

DR. SANFORD. S. very light violet; F. purple-violet, with lighter border. Yellow beard. Delicate fragrance. 30 inches. 30 cents each, \$3.00 per dozen.

DR. VINSON. S. purple-violet F. purple-velvet; with lighter edge. Yellow beard. Fragrant. 28 inches. 75 cents each.

E. C. SHAW. S. light claret; F. claret, veined and shaded black. Fragrant. Distinct. 24 inches. \$3.00 each.

F. M. NEEDHAM. S. light violet; F. velvety purple, edged lighter. Yellow beard. Fragrant. 26 inches. 75 cents each.

FRYER'S GLORY. S. golden bronze, tinged with crimson; F. velvety maroon. Orange beard. \$2.00 each.

GOVERNOR HUGHES. S. violet, tinged with red; F. darker shade of the same. Very large orange beard that extends well out on the falls, and the longest beard that I have ever seen on an iris. Pleasant fragrance. 28 inches. \$1.50 each.

GENOA. S. purple-bronze; F. dark purple in the center, shading to violet toward the edges. 28 inches. \$1.50 each.

G. W. PEAKE. S. yellow, shaded crimson-bronze; F. velvety maroon-red. Orange beard. Fragrant. Glory strain. 60c each.

HARRIET. S. white, blue line running through each, also veined and spotted blue; F. white, with veined border of blue. Early. 24 inches. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

J. C. DRAKE. S. bright blue; F. bright velvety purple, lighter edge. Yellow beard. Fragrant, 28 inches. \$1.00 each.

JESSIE MACINNES. S. large lemon yellow; F. carmine-red with lemon border. Orange beard. Fragrant. Glory strain. 60 cents each.



*A snap shot of one corner of over two acres
of named seedling iris.*

KATHRYN FRYER. S. large yellow; F. velvety maroon-red, veined white at center, and reticulated yellow at base. Orange beard. Fragrant. 30 inches. Last season I picked a stem that had 15 buds and blossoms on it. \$2.00.

LOWELL. S. light purple; F. a darker shade of the same. Fragrant. Large. 26 inches. Distinct foliage. 75 cents each.

MADISON COOPER. S. lemon yellow; F. maroon-red. Orange beard. Fragrant. Glory strain. \$2.00 each.

M. G. PETERS. S. yellow; F. yellow, shaded with brown and margined light yellow. Orange beard. Fragrant. Large. 32 inches. \$1.00 each.

MINNESOTA. S. bright golden yellow; F. maroon-red. Orange beard. Fragrant. Glory strain. \$1.00 each.

MARGERY McCORD. S. claret; F. claret, tinged with brown. Orange beard, tipped dark claret. Fragrant. 30 inches. \$2.00 each.

MRS. A. M. BRAND. S. large erect white; F. white, slightly veined violet. Orange beard. Fragrant. 30 inches. 50 cents each.

MRS. HAYES. S. rich yellow; F. velvety maroon-red, shaded violet in center. Fragrant. 24 inches. \$1.00 each.

MRS. CURTIS. S. yellow, shaded pink; F. rose-pink, reticulated light yellow. Yellow beard. Glory strain. Large flower showing up its delicate tints better indoors. 50 cents each.

MRS. ANDRIST. S. pure white; F. rich velvety purple; distinct white border. Yellow beard. Very fragrant. 22 inches. 30 cents each, \$3.00 per dozen.

Mr. R. R. Smith of Larned, Kansas wrote me that this variety pleased him more than any among fifty standard varieties.

MRS. SMITH. S. rich yellow; F. same color, shaded light yellow in center, and veined darker yellow. Yellow beard. 24 inches. 35 cents each \$3.50 per dozen.

MRS. CHRISTMAN. S. pink-bronze, veined with violet; F. bronze-pink shaded violet. Lemon beard. Fragrant. 28 inches, \$1.00 each.

MRS. HAW. S. light lavender-pink; F. dark lavender-pink in the center, fading to light lavender pink toward the edges. Yellow beard. Large flower and plant. 30 inches. \$2.00 each.

MRS. W. E. FRYER. S. white, shaded heliotrope; F. purple-crimson, bordered a lighter shade; white veins from center to base. Orange beard. 32 inches. \$1.00 each, \$10.00 per dozen.

MRS. J. S. BRAND. S. pink-bronze, edged with light yellow; F. Mahogany-red. Fragrant. Glory strain. \$1.00 each

RED GLORY. S. bronze-yellow; F. velvety maroon-red. Orange beard. Fragrant. \$1.50 each.

REV. WIRTELE. S. purple-bronze; F. rich velvety purple, lighter toward the edges. Yellow beard. Fragrant. 18 inches. 75 cents each, \$7.50 per dozen.

REV. SMITH. S. bronze-crimson; F. maroon-red. Yellow beard. Glory strain. This variety show the most coloration at base of leaves on any variety that I have ever seen. 60 cents each.

RUTH RAND. S. violet-blue; F. deeper shade of the same. Yellow beard. Medium sized flower with broad round falls. 28 inches. 40 cents each.

R. R. SMITH. S. lavender-violet when first open, fading to light mauve. Large flower. 30 inches. \$1.00 each.

W. F. CHRISTMAN. S. white, tinged with violet; F. purple, reticulated white with lighter border. Yellow beard. Fragrant. 22 inches. 40 cents each, \$4.00 per dozen.

W. J. FRYER. S. large yellow; F. maroon, with yellow border; center overshadowed violet. 30 inches. \$3.00 each.

THE INTRODUCTIONS OF TALL BEARDED IRIS

I made no description of these when in bloom, and will describe them the best I can from memory.

DAPHNE MULVANEY. On the order of Fairy. 36 inches. \$2.00 each.

E. L. IRISH. Light blue, shaded purple. This variety had two stems 48 inches high on a two year plant, and was 36 inches high last season on plants planted in July, 1921. \$4.00 each.

LEOTA. White. This variety had decided splashes of blue in the falls when it first bloomed, but they are gradually disappearing. It is an early and free bloomer, and very robust grower. 24 inches. \$2.00 each.

MAGNIFICENT. S. Rich violet-rose; F. rich velvety crimson, Orange beard. Falls very large and long. Given Honorable Mention by the American Iris Society, June, 1920. This is one of the finest iris that I have ever seen, and I have seen quite a few, too. Only six plants to offer after blooming season next June, and at \$25.00 each.

NADINE. A light shade of claret. 36 inches. \$2.50 each.

FRANCES GOODING. On the order of Her Majesty, but taller, larger and a stronger grower. 30 inches. \$3.00 each.

MRS. NAEGLI. Pure white. Good grower. 24 inches. \$3.00 each.

MRS. JUDD. S. very light yellow; F. straw-yellow. 36 inches. Pallida foliage. \$5.00 each.

MRS. RAPP. Very large, dark lavender. \$5.00 each.

Mr. P. L. Battey of Glencoe, Illinois, who visited me in iris-time—June, 1922—wrote me as follows:

“My dear Mr. Fryer:

I was greatly surprised and pleased with your new iris. From what I had heard and read I imagined they were all, or most all, in the class of yellows and maroons, and all short stemmed varieties, but when I saw the great diversity of color as well as form, many with fine long stems and conspicuously good foliage, I was greatly impressed with what you have accomplished with your crosses. Your Magnificent, Mrs. Fryer and Kathryn Fryer are outstanding varieties. C. P. Connell and Lowell are excellent, and for flowers and lots of them I have never seen anything equal your Aunt Rachel, Dr. Andrist, Barton Harrington, W. F. Christman and many others.

Some of the new seedlings we so thoroughly enjoyed that day are very fine, particularly the beautiful pink one, ‘a real honest to goodness pink one too.’”

P. L. BATTEY. This is the pink mentioned above. \$10.00 each.

My stock of these new introductions is limited, and none will be for sale until after the blooming season — 1923.

DWARF BEARDED

BETSY PRESBY. Bright yellow; the falls shaded and veined darker yellow. 30 cents each. \$3.00 per dozen.

MRS. HAGLER. S. white, shaded cream; F. deeper shade of the same, lower part veined a deeper yellow. Occasionally there are blotches of purple. 9 inches. 20 cents each, \$2.00 per dozen.

SIBERIAN IRIS

TRUE BLUE. As the name denotes — a true blue — and the best blue Siberian iris that I have ever seen. The flowers are born on stiff stems 30 inches high. The falls are as good or better than Perry's Blue, and the standards are a shade darker. 50 cents each, \$5.00 per dozen.

WASIOJA. Similar in color to TRUE BLUE but not quite so large, although not a small flower. 35 cents each, \$3.50 per dozen.

MIXED SEEDLINGS TALL BEARDED IRIS

I have thousands of mixed seedlings, and transplanted 6000 baby seedlings last summer. I am offering them at \$6.00 per 100, and will give 50 or more varieties in each order for 100 plants.

As I am not naming one in 1000 you are liable to get something good, and the pleasure you will

derive in watching them bloom will well repay you for the small sum invested.

Mr. C. M. Chase of Northville, Michigan, bought 100 of these mixed iris in 1920 and liked them so well that he ordered 250 more last June.

MIXED SIBERIAN IRIS

Most of them are as good as named varieties. \$7.00 per 100.

WHEN TO PLANT. I have planted iris ten months in the year with good success. The most favorable time is shortly after blooming, and last season shipped 4000 to all sections of the U. S. the last of June. If planted early they make a good growth, and nearly every plant should bloom the following season.

WHERE TO PLANT. A dry, sunny location suits them best. Avoid fresh manure when planting, in fact, all manure where bearded iris are planted.

Six at dozen and 50 at 100 rates. At each and dozen rates my seedling iris will be sent prepaid.



This bed is all selected iris seedlings, and contains hundreds of fine varieties. Only five have been named. In my hand is a fan from a single division. Some varieties in this bed have rich foliage three feet in height.

PEONIES

They can be planted from early September until late fall or in the spring, but early planting is considered the best for they will make some root growth before cold weather, and will bloom better the following season. I store the roots in my storage cellar in sand, and always plant as late as the last of May with good success. I have two roots in my cellar now that were put there in September, 1921. These will be planted next spring, and am certain they will grow.

In planting be sure to have the new buds that have formed at the crown of the plant two inches below the surface when planted. Do not set the plant on too loose dirt so that it will settle after planting. Too deep planting is one cause of not blooming well.

They appreciate good care and nourishment, but resent an over-abundance of fresh manure too near the roots.

In my trial bed I have many of the best of the new varieties, and some that cost me as much as \$25.00 per plant, and many from \$5.00 to \$15.00 each. I also have a number of fine seedlings that compare favorably with the best, but never have named one.

I will not catalog the newer varieties, but if you wish any of them I can furnish them as cheaply as anyone.

WHITE

AVALANCHE. Large, late, extra fine. \$1.00 to 1.50 each.

CANARY. A white that shows as much yellow as any when first open. Good size and free bloomer. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

COURRONE D' ORR. (Crown of Gold.) Large bloom of ivory white, with a circle of yellow stamens. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

DUKE OF WELLINGTON. Center of flower sulphur white when first open. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

BARONESS SCHROEDER. Flesh, changing to white, creamy center. \$1.00 to \$1.50 each.

GOLDEN HARVEST. Blush guards, with creamy white center, some of the petals carmine-tipped. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

FESTIVA MAXIMA. The purest white, with an occasional flake of red in the center. Early and extremely fragrant. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

PINK

EDULIS SUPERBA. Large and early. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

FLORAL TREASURE. Large, pale lilac-rose. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

TRIOMPHE DE EXPOSITION DE LILLE. Hydrangea-pink. It does not grow so large roots as most peonies, but is a good bloomer. 75 cents to \$1.00 each.

RED

LA SUBLIME. Rich crimson. Late. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

PURPLE CROWN. Red, with purple tinge. 75 cents to \$1.00 each.

RACHEL. Dark purple-crimson. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

RUBRA TRIUMPHANS. Large, late, dark red. 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

The cheaper price is for a good divided root, and the higher the price the larger the root.

HARDY PHLOX

They require a rich soil to produce the best effect, as they are gross feeders. They like plenty of moisture and in dry seasons should be supplied with plenty of water. Unlike most flowers they will thrive in partial shade.

Have the new buds that have formed at the crown of the plant one inch below the surface when planted.

Some seasons every plant will live if planted in the fall, and others they winter-kill, and do not advise fall planting for northern planters.

I have the largest acreage of any grower in the west, and numerous varieties, but will give only a short list of varieties that are doing extra well with me.

AMELIA. Crimson center, fading to nearly white on the edge.

ANNA. White, with red eye. Strong grower. 30 cents each.

DR. CHAS. H. MAYO. White, with red eye. Pyramidal pinnacles. Tall, strong grower. This is the best white phlox with an eye that I have ever seen. 50 cents each.

DR. CHRISTOPHER GRAHAM. A variegated pink. Vigorous grower. 40 cents each.

EDITH MAYO. Medium sized white with faint eye. The truss on established plants different form than any phlox that I have ever seen, being in the form of a half sphere. 40 cents each.

* **ESCLAMONDE.** Clear rosy lilac, deeper eye; exquisitely rayed and shaded. Tall.

F. E. ROTH. Light rose. Rather dwarf, but a strong grower. 30 cents each.

J. H. KAHLER. White, blended with different shades of red, fading to nearly pure white. It has a changing appearance with the weather, and at times is one of the most beautiful phlox that I have ever seen. 40 cents each.



THE PHLOX MRS. W. E. FRYER

KATHRYN FRYER. Light salmon pink with red eye. Large truss. 50 cents each. Stock limited.

* **LOTHAIR.** Salmon-red, with dark carmine eye. Very showy. Tall.

MRS. W. E. FRYER. A fine pure white, and one that always makes good. This is a phlox with a history. About 20 years ago I raised a seedling phlox that was very much variegated. It varied so much that I was able to select the pure white from it, and that is Mrs. Fryer. I also have a few of the variegated form. Note the picture of it. 30 cents each, \$3.00 per dozen.

MRS. J. H. KAHLER. Blended pink and white. 30 cents each.

MRS. MELLINGER. Rosy red with darker eye. This phlox will endure more drouth than any other phlox in existence.

* **PRESIDENT TAFT.** Light pink, with lighter center. Extra. 30 cents each, \$3.00 per dozen.

* **PEARL.** A tall vigorous growing medium sized late white.

* **R. P. STRUTHERS.** Bright rosy-red, crimson eye. Admired by all.

REV. SPICER. Dark pink with darker eye. 30 cents each.

* **WIDAR.** The color is a light reddish-violet, with large white center, which intensifies the color. This is the only phlox with a white eye that is a good grower with me. 30 cents each.

W. J. FRYER. Pink, shaded salmon; bright red eye. Large truss. 50 cents each. Stock limited.

They are all my productions except those marked with a star (*).

Those not priced are 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen.

I furnish good plants and all will be strong two year No. 1. I have a smaller grade at two-thirds the price of No. 1 plants. These will all bloom the first season planted.

If to be sent prepaid add one cent per plant to the third zone, two cents per plant beyond that.

HEMEROCALLIS

These are a desirable hardy plant, and can be planted either fall or spring.

DUMORTIERI. Orange-colored, shaded brown on the outside. One foot. May and June.

FLAVA. Lemon lily. Clear yellow. Fragrant. 2½ feet. Flowers in June.

FULVA. Brown Day Lily. Coppery orange, shaded crimson. 4 feet. Blooms in July.

FLORHAM. Very large, soft yellow flowers. One of the best, and a close second to Sir Michael Foster, and one-third the price.

GOLD DUST. Large, rich yellow flowers. June. 2 feet.

KWANSO. Flore-pleno. A double form of Fulva.

THUNBERGI. Much like Flava, but flowers in July, a month later.

Strong plants 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen.

Seedlings \$2.00 per dozen.

DELPHINIUM

(Perennial Larkspur)

There is no hardy plant that will give more pleasure than the Delphinium, and none that have a longer season of bloom—from June to November. They are of every shade of blue imaginable, and unless it is a plant that has been divided no two will be exactly alike. I have been improving them by selection for a number of years, and believe I have one of the finest collections in the United States. I have many magnificent double varieties, too.

I have been experimenting on planting a different month during the summer and fall, and planted the first on July 18th, last, and at intervals until late fall. It was dry until September yet all lived, and many bloomed, and I saw blossoms on them today—November 21st. If planted in the spring they must be planted very early for they are one of the first plants to start growth in the spring.

I am sold low for the spring of 1923, but next summer I will have 10,000 saleable plants, and a number of thousand smaller ones. As they run in the nursery rows \$2.50 per dozen, \$16.00 per 100 for two year No. 1 plants.

BELLADONNA. A light shade of blue \$2.50 per dozen for No. 1 plants.

I have a lighter grade at two-thirds the price of No. 1 plants. All these will bloom the first season after planting.



10,000 Young Delphinium

I have never been able to raise enough double and semi-double varieties to offer them in my catalog, but next fall I will be able to furnish them at \$1.00 each for good plants. Each plant will have to be marked when in bloom, and it means considerable extra work.

If the stalks are cut off close to the ground as soon as they are through blooming, and the plants watered well a good share of them will bloom again. If to be sent prepaid add one cent per plant to the third zone, and two cents per plant beyond that.

GLADIOLI

Any garden soil, and a sunny location is a good place to plant them.

No. 1 bulbs should be planted 4 or 5 inches deep, and smaller bulbs 3 to 4 inches deep.

The bulbs are dug in the fall after the tops ripen or are killed by freezing. The tops are cut off close to the bulb, and the bulbs are put in shallow boxes or crates to cure.

The old shriveled bulb and roots can be easily pulled from the new bulb after they have cured a few weeks. They must be kept dry, and where they will not freeze.

I have a large stock, and many varieties, and am testing many new varieties each season. If you wish varieties not mentioned write me.

Those contemplating planting in larger amounts or smaller sizes write for special quotations.

All bulbs are No. 1, 1½ inches and up in diameter as priced, but can furnish No. 2 bulbs, 1¼ to 1½ inches in diameter at 20 per cent discount from the price of No. 1 bulbs.

At each and dozen prices they will be sent prepaid to the third zone, and beyond that add ½ cent for No. 1 and ⅓ cent for No. 2 bulbs.

Price per dozen bulbs at each rate multiplied by 10.

AMERICA. Delicate pink, tinted lavender. 5 cents each.

ARIZONA. Dark pink streaked with darker red. Fine long spike. 10 cents each.

BARON HULOT. Rich purple with bluish tinge. 10 cents each.

BERNICE. Light yellow with buff and pink markings. Early. 5 cents each.

BLACKHAWK. Cardinal red, nearly black blotch. Early. 10 cents each.

DESDEMONE. Ashy rose color striped with violet. Strong grower. Very large. 20 cents each.

DISTINCTION. Dark maroon. Fine spike. Extra. 15 cents each.

EVELYN KIRTLAND. Rosy pink, darker at the edges, fading to shell-pink at the center with a

- brilliant scarlet blotch on lower petals. Tall spike. Extra fine. 15 cents each.
- EMPRESS OF INDIA.** Rich dark red with brownish tinge; a beautiful color. 8 cents each.
- FLORA.** A grand new yellow, and a close second to Golden Measure. 25 cents each.
- GOLDEN KING.** Bright yellow with crimson patch on lower petals. 10 cents each.
- HALLEY.** Large salmon pink flowers of delicate tint. One of the earliest. 6 cents each.
- HELEN FRANKLIN.** A new ruffled variety. Pure white with violet markings on lower petals. 15 cents each.
- HOHENSTAUFFEN.** Large white with blotch on lower petals. Tall spike. 10 cents each.
- JESSIE.** Rich, velvety red; long spike of well opened flowers. 6 cents each.
- L'IMMACULEE.** Pure white, long spike, many open at once. Early. 12 cents each.
- LOVELINESS.** Large, wide open flowers of palest cream, suffused apricot in throat. Fine spike. 10 cents each.
- MANTORVILLE.** Yellow ruffled. Not so ruffled as some, but large yellow tinted pink. 15 cents each.
- CHRIS.** Dark maroon, purplish shading. 10 cents each.
- CONSPICUOUS.** Light blue with darker blotches; darker spot with yellow center on lower petals. The pansy glad. 15 cents each.
- HUBERTUS.** Fine blue and mauve. 15 cents each.
- MASTER WIETSE.** Dark violet. 10 cents each.
- MEPHISTOPHELES.** Scarlet, black and yellow. Very striking. 12 cents each.
- MRS. W. E. FRYER.** Large scarlet with small white lines on lower petals. 10 cents each.
- MRS. FRANCES KING.** Light scarlet. Long spike. 5 cents each.
- MRS. PENDLETON.** Pink, blotched with red and carmine. 10 cents each.
- MRS. H. R. WHITNEY.** Primulinus Hybrid. New. Apricot, center lighter shade. 10 cents each.
- MARY FENNEL.** Beautiful light lavender, tinged with pink. Soft yellow throat. 15 cents each.
- NIAGARA.** Soft primrose yellow. In damp weather some are tinted pink. 10 cents each.

PEACE. White, with lilac spot on lower petals.
Tall spike. 10 cents each.

PRINCEPINE. Bright red with white throat.
8 cents each.

PRIMULUS. A species from Africa. Clear
primrose yellow. The form of the flower is
distinctive, the upper petals drooping forward.
Very early. 8 cents each.

SCARSDALE. Lavender-pink. 8 cents each.

SCHWABEN. Sulphur yellow, maroon blotch.
Extra fine. 10 cents each.

WAR. Deep blood red. Spike tall and straight.
Extra fine. 10 cents each.

WILBRINK. A sport of Halley, and identical in
growth, habit and blooming season, but the
color is a pale pink. 10 cents each.

WILLIS E. FRYER. Large violet; white lines
on lower petals. A variety Mr. A. E. Kunderd
named for me. 75 cents each.

CHOICE MIXED. This mixture contains a great
variety of colors. \$2.00 per 100.

PRIMILINUS HYBRID MIXED. A fine mixture
of many shades. 50 cents per dozen, \$3.50 per
100.

6 AT DOZEN AND 50 AT 100 RATES



Myself among part of my one-fourth million glads.

MISCELLANEOUS

CAMPANULA or BELLFLOWER

CARPATICA (Carpathian Harebell.) A pretty
dwarf species, with blue, bell-shaped flowers an
inch in diameter; blooms all summer.

ROTUNDIFOLIA (Blue Bell of Scotland.) A
pretty dwarf variety which will adapt itself to
any location. Strong plants 25 cents each.

CLEMATIS

Virginia. Small white flowers in August, followed by feathery seed pods which make an attractive appearance until late fall.

It is perfectly hardy and is good for verandas and covering arbors. 25 cents, 50 cents and 75 cents each.

COLUMBINE

A fine mixture. Plant either fall or spring. strong plants 25 cents each.

DOUBLE TIGER LILLY

Plant either fall or spring. No. 1 bulbs \$1.50 per dozen, No. 2 \$1.25 per dozen.

HIBISCUS

These are mixed colors, and mostly shades of pink, and are much admired by all who see them when in bloom. They will average from 4 to 6 feet high, and are proving hardy with me. The stalks should be cut off close to the ground in late October and then mulch them well with leaves or grass.

I will not have any plants to offer in the spring of 1923, but after that I will have good young plants at \$2.50 per dozen, and larger ones at an advance in price.

ORIENTAL POPPIES

I have the species, and it is bright scarlet with black center. I have tested over 30 named varieties, and it is the only one that has been a lasting success with me. They MUST be planted in July, August or September, and all will bloom the following June. Planting in the spring spells failure. Good plants 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen. Extra strong plants 50 cents each.

NARCISSUS

These cannot be planted in the spring, but if planted in August or September a bed will last for years. 40 cents per dozen, \$3.00 per 100.

PLATYCODON

This is a desirable hardy plant with blue and



2000 New Seedling Iris in this bed and all different.

white flowers. Plant either fall or spring, and have the crown one inch below the surface when planted. All will bloom the first season after planting. Mixed colors only. No. 1 plants 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen. Extra strong plants, 50 cents each.

TRITOMA

PFITZERI. Red Hot Poker plant. Fine spikes of orange-scarlet flowers. Much admired. Blooms from August to October. Strong plants 50 cents each, 3 for \$1.25.

I have an early variety that blooms from the first of July to October. Strong plants 40 cents each, 3 for \$1.00.

These are not hardy here, and they should be dug in late October, tops removed, and store them in dry sand in a cool cellar. They are much easier to keep in good condition than Dahlias.

YUCCA

These were grown from seed procured in Montana, and are as bright and green in the spring as in the fall. The Filamentosa bleaches some during the winter.

The plants I have now are all heavy plants, and as they have stiff roots three feet in length, and as it is necessary to dig the whole root, they cannot be sent by mail. \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

GENERAL REMARKS

The crown of a plant is where the new buds form on the plant and in September they are fully grown so they will start new growth the following spring on the first approach of warm weather.

It is important that peonies, phlox and platycodon should be planted at the right depth, and instructions should be followed.

During the winter I have most varieties of my new iris, and other plants, heeled in sand in my storage cellar, and can ship to warmer sections of the U. S. as early as desired.

I am located one and one-half miles north of Kasson, and 17 miles west of **ROCHESTER, Minn.**, the **BIGGEST LITTLE CITY** in the world.

I am also located on the Babcock Highway No. 57 that runs from Kasson to Mantorville.



The row between the little ladies is the phlox
Dr. Chas. H. Mayo.



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Colorado Blue Spruce, Weeping Form

IT was planted when the business was first established in 1896, and for over a quarter-century the tree has grown with the business, and made its regular, daily little contributions to the development of the business by attracting the favorable attention of visitors and passers-by.

The lad in the foreground of the picture is my son Willis J. Fryer. The height of the tree may be estimated from the fact that he was just five feet tall when the photograph was taken.